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R 201305Z DEC 74  
FM AMEMBASSY NEW DELHI  
TO SECSTATE WASHDC 5839  
INFO AMCONSUL BOMBAY  
AMCONSUL CALCUTTA  
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E. O. 11652: N/A  
TAGS: CGEN, IN, US  
SUBJECT: CONSULAR CONVENTION

REF: STATE 274655

1. MEW LEGAL ADVISOR JAGOTA INDICATED IN A BRIEF EXCHANGE WITH AN EMBASSY OFFICER DECEMBER 16 THAT THERE HAD BEEN NO NEW DEVELOPMENTS WITH RESPECT TO THE STATUS OF THE VIENNA CONSULAR CONVENTION SINCE HIS COMMENTS REPORTED IN NEW DELHI 12981. IN A TELEPHONE CONVERSATION DECEMBER 20, JAGOTA'S DEPUTY, R. K. DIXIT, CONFIRMED TO AN EMBASSY OFFICER THAT THE GA NOT INTRODUCD AND BILL TO BRING INDIAN MUNICIPAL LAW INTO CONFORMITY WITH THE VIENNA PROVISIONS (AS IS APPARENTLY REQUIRED IN SEVERAL RESPECTS) AND SAID HE DOUBTED THERE WOULD BE ANY SUCH GOI ACTION FOR SOME TIME. ACCORDING TO DIXIT, THE ENACTMENT OF ENABLING LEGISLATION WOULD PRECEDE ANY ACTION TO HAVE THE CONVENTION RATIFIED. WHEN ASKED WHETHER THE ENTIRE PROCESS COULD BE WRAPPED UP IN A YEAR, HE SAID HE KNEW OF NO CURRENT PLANS TO INTRODUCE ANY BILL INTO THIS OR THE NEXT ASESSION OF PARLIAMENT EARLY IN 1975.

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2. FOR THE DEPARTMENT'S INFORMATION, INDIA AGREED TO ITS SECOND BILATERAL CONSULAR CONVENTION DURING THE RECENT VISIT OF SZECHOSLOVAK PRIME MINISTER STROUGAL. THE INDO-CZECHOSLOVAK CONVENTION, SIGNED ON DECEMBER 4, IS DAID TO BE MODELED ON THE INDO-SOVIET CONVENTION WIHCH WAS ANNOUNCED DURING GENERAL-SECRETARY BREZHNEV'S VISIT IN NOVEMBER 1973.

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